

NO LOAN TO GERMANY  
UNLESS SHE ACCEPTS  
REPARATIONS TERMS

World Bankers Decide Con-  
sideration Useless With-  
out Guaranty.

MUST STOP INFLATION

If She Does, Loan May Be  
Arranged for More Than  
Billion Dollars.

REFUSAL TO END PARLEY

Financiers Adjourn to May 31,  
When Commission's Ulti-  
mum Expires.

PARIS, May 26 (Associated Press).—The committee of international bankers in session here served notice this evening on Germany that further consideration of a billion dollar loan to the German Government is virtually out of the question until Germany accepts in full the conditions of the ultimatum of the Reparations Commission, which expires May 31, and also gives adequate guarantees that the inflation of Germany's currency will be stopped immediately. The committee then decided to adjourn until May 31 to await the decision of Germany.

The conclusion of the bankers was arrived at during their meeting this afternoon, which was attended by Karl Bergmann as representative of Germany. Bergmann immediately telephoned the decision of the bankers to Berlin.

On April 13 the Reparations Commission sent a note to Germany setting forth the conditions that must be met by May 31. These included an increase of internal taxation by 60,000,000 marks, the reduction of the output by the Berlin Government of paper marks, an examination and supervision of German finances. On May 10 Germany replied that it was impossible to comply with all the requirements and Dr. Hermann, the Finance Minister, began negotiations with the Reparations Commission. On May 23 it was announced that the ultimatum of the commission would probably be postponed if Germany accepted in its essentials the commission's reparations program. A dispatch to The New York Herald from Berlin says that the German Government has approved Dr. Hermann's agreement with the Reparations Commission.

Believe Acceptance Likely.  
In reparations circles to-night the view was advanced that the action of the financiers probably would result in complete acceptance by Germany of all their conditions. It was further stated that acquiescence by Germany in the Reparations Commission's ultimatum probably would result in an indefinite adjournment of the breaking up of the bankers committee. A solution of the situation was said to be bound up in the question whether Germany can end her wholesale printing of paper marks and make drastic improvements in her currency.

Wait for Germany to Reply.  
The financiers completed their inquiry into the state of Germany's finances at this afternoon's session, and it was explained that they had reached a point where they were waiting for Germany to reply. The committee could discuss the details of a loan, the security for it and many other points.

The fact that the international bankers have been able to see good possibilities for a loan provided Germany subscribes to certain conditions, is regarded very optimistically in reparations quarters, where it was pointed out to-night that the German Government could hardly afford to do otherwise than agree.

The bankers will take advantage of the adjournment to next week to get in touch with their respective countries. The European members of the committee may return to their homes for a day or two, but all of those attending the conference are expected to find out to what extent each of their respective countries will absorb a German loan, so that they will be ready to report on Wednesday's meeting.

POLICY OF COERCION  
IF BERLIN DEFAULTS

Poincare Says France Must  
Make Germany Pay.

PARIS, May 26 (Associated Press).—Parliament will be informed next week by Premier Poincare exactly where France stands with regard to German reparations and what France is prepared to do in the event of Germany defaulting the reparations payment of May 31.

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GERMANY ACCEPTS TERMS;  
AVERTS REPARATION CRISIS

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THE terms which Andreas Hermes, German Minister of Finance, made with the Reparations Commission to meet the requirements in its note of April 13 as to what Germany must agree to before May 31 have been approved by the Wirth Cabinet. Germany, according to the agreement, must balance her budget through new taxation and internal loans and must check inflation by closing down on the printing of paper money.

The Cabinet crisis is now generating into a personal conflict between Chancellor Wirth and Dr. Hermes because of differences in policies which so far as is known are mostly of an elusory character. Dr. Hermes, his supporters declare, did not exceed his authority in Paris. Instead he did what German statesmen until now had failed to accomplish. He reached the basis for an understanding with the Reparations Commission.

It is typical of German Francophobia that whenever a step is taken toward the settling of differences the Nationalist groups, and usually the Socialists with them, immediately raise the cry that the Germans are conceding too much. Chancellor Wirth appeared to have departed from his former conciliatory policy toward the Allies and to have sought popularity through opposition to further taxation. He also warned against attempts to stabilize the mark unless Germany received a large international loan immediately.

The German people are anxious that everything be done to induce the international bankers to grant a large loan, and as a Cabinet crisis resulting from Dr. Hermes's conciliatory policy might provoke the French to impose further sanctions in the Ruhr Valley and frighten investors, it is expected Chancellor Wirth will change his attitude in preference to resigning.

COMPROMISE ENDS  
ENO WILL CONTEST  
BY HETTRICK'S JURY

Shearn and Cromwell Settle  
Dispute Between Family and  
Columbia University.

\$13,000,000 IS INVOLVED  
Surrogate Foley Urged Heirs  
to Reach Agreement After  
Six Years of Litigation.

The contest over the will of the late Amos F. Eno, whose estate of more than \$13,000,000 has been in litigation in the State courts for more than six years, was settled out of court last night. Attorneys Clarence J. Shearn and William Nelson Cromwell made an announcement to this effect after a conference at Mr. Cromwell's home, but they did not divulge the terms of the settlement.

The will was contested by members of Mr. Eno's family because Mr. Eno left the bulk of his fortune to Columbia University and other institutions. The statement of Mr. Shearn and Mr. Cromwell follows:  
"Shortly after the second trial ended in setting aside the will of 1915 and when Surrogate James A. Foley had for legal reasons, directed a new trial, the parties agreed to a new trial and when both sides were ready to enter upon the third trial, the Surrogate called all counsel to his chambers and urged that their clients endeavor to find a mutual ground of adjustment in view of the facts that the litigation had now consumed over six years, with the expenditure of large sums of money, and would probably continue for several years more; that the case was occupying a very large share of the time and attention of the courts while other litigants were kept waiting; that it imposed a substantial cost upon the county, and above all, that certain of the charities and educational institutions which, either under one or the other of Mr. Eno's wills, would ultimately receive bequests, were in pressing need for present use of funds."

"Approached under these judicial auspices both the Eno family and Columbia University, as well as all counsel, cordially recognized the spirit of the Surrogate's suggestions, and their counsel, Thacher & Bartlett, Perkins & Train and Sullivan & Cromwell, with Mr. Shearn, having given Mr. Cromwell authority to execute a deed of gift, the Surrogate, after a hearing, approved the settlement of all questions concerning the estate of Mr. Eno."

"The admission of the will to probate will take place at once to consummate the settlement of the estate, and a number of representative educational and philanthropic institutions will thereby be greatly benefited."

The will of Mr. Eno was executed in June, 1915, just before his sudden death. It disposed of an estate valued at \$13,000,000. The bulk of the estate, however, was left to Columbia University, and a number of representative educational and philanthropic institutions will thereby be greatly benefited.

While the will bequeathed about one-half of the estate to relatives, among whom are the deceased's brothers, William F. Eno and John F. Eno, and Prof. Henry Lane Eno of Princeton University, and his nephews, Amos F. Eno, Jr. and Gifford Pinchot, the latter recently elected as a legislator, and a candidate for Governor of Pennsylvania, it left the other half to institutions of this city. To Columbia University, for example, it bequeathed the bulk of the estate, giving it a share in the estate of something over \$10,000,000. The New York University and the Metropolitan Museum of Art also received legacies.

WILL ASK WATSON  
TO PROVE PRESIDENT  
AGREED ON A BONUS

Indiana Senator to Be  
Questioned at Committee  
Meeting Monday.

IS RAIDERS' RELIANCE

Group of Senate Democrats  
Would Line Up Party  
Against Raid.

BIG POLITICAL CHANCE

Would Base Action on Econ-  
omy and Turn Tables on  
Republican Professions.

By LOUIS SEIBOLD.  
Special Dispatch to THE NEW YORK HERALD.

Promoters of the bonus raid on the public Treasury are depending on Senator James E. Watson of Indiana to win the favor of President Harding for their undertaking.

At the full meeting of the Finance Committee on Monday Mr. Watson will be requested to specify the authority for his statement to the Indiana Republican convention on Wednesday that a bonus bill will be passed and approved by the President.

Great importance is attached to the fact that Senator Watson conferred with the President over the speech he delivered at the Hoosier State convention. Bonus Senators, who appear to be at the end of their resources, barring unexpected help from the White House, assert Senator Watson had full authority for his prediction that the bonus bill would be passed and become a law.

McCumber Counting on Him.  
The Indiana Senator, who with Attorney-General Daugherty occupies a large part of public attention here, and who also is the most aggressive champion of that official, will not return to his Senatorial duties until he returns to his home in Indiana.

Word was passed around the Senate this afternoon that Senator Watson would uphold the claim of bonus Senators that the President has not by any means closed the door on the bonus and in fact may be prevailed upon to accept the bill finally decided on.

BEE IN AUTOBUS COSTS  
\$3,500 IN DAMAGES  
Owner's Defense, Act of Providence, Falls at Trial.

CAMDEN, May 26.—A bee buzzed into an autobus last summer and cost the owner \$3,500. A jury to-day fixed the amount. Edward Stewart, the driver, became confused when the insect approached him, and the bus crashed into a telegraph pole. Nevil Heust, Jr., was severely hurt and the boy's father suffered minor injuries. The former got an award of \$3,500 and the latter \$500. Stewart maintained that the entrance of the bee into the conveyance which he piloted between Camden and Merchantville was attributable to Providence and an accident over which he had no control. He also maintained that his confusion was natural in the circumstances. The jury held that he should have exercised more self-possession.

WORKER SHOVED OFF  
THIRTEENTH FLOOR  
Painter Was Hired Under  
Landis Wage Award.

CHICAGO, May 26.—An assailant whom the laborer was to be implicated in the labor war invaded the downtown business district to-day, assaulted William Kramer, a painter, and pushed him from the thirteenth floor of a building where he was working.

Kramer fell to the twelfth floor and received injuries that may prove fatal. The police believe the fact that Kramer was working under the Landis building trades award was responsible for the trouble.

PINCHOT VOTE 13,737  
OVER HIS OPPONENT  
Complete Returns in From  
Pennsylvania Primary.

PHILADELPHIA, May 26.—Complete returns from every election district in the State show that Gifford Pinchot had a majority of 13,737 over Attorney-General George E. Aker, for the Republican nomination for Governor in last week's primary election.

\$53,000 for Hospital  
Costing U. S. \$3,000,000

THE ninety-one wooden buildings making up the United States Hospital at Fox Hills, Staten Island, which cost the Government \$2,000,000 to build and equip, were sold at auction yesterday for \$53,000. Other items brought the total to \$61,000. The highest bid for the entire property was \$48,000, offered by Harris Brothers of Chicago. That bid was discarded when it was found that separate bids for individual items would make the total higher. Enough wood and other material was sold to house 10,000 persons.

RUTH IS FINED \$200;  
DEPOSED AS CAPTAIN

Ban Johnson Allows the Home  
Run King to Play, but Only  
in the Ranks.

FINDS EXCUSES FOR HIM

Out of Practice, Unable to En-  
dure Mental Strain, Says  
League's President.

CHICAGO, May 26 (Associated Press).—Babe Ruth was fined \$200 and removed from the captaincy of the New York American club by Ban Johnson, president of the American League, this afternoon.

President Johnson gave his ruling after considering the reports of the umpires officiating in yesterday's game at New York between New York and Washington, when Ruth disputed a decision of Umpire Hildebrand and later climbed into the stand after a fan had made a remark to which he took exception.

President Johnson's finding automatically removes the ruling that Ruth was ineligible to play, which was promulgated by the American League head pending an investigation.

"The Ruth incident in New York on Thursday is much to be regretted," President Johnson's ruling said. "The player's conduct was highly reprehensible, but when all the facts are weighed there is a measure of consideration for him. Ruth had just finished a sentence of unprecedented severity, running through a period of thirty-nine days of suspension, which disqualified him from practice with his team prior to the commencement of a game."

"Without this necessary work, the player lost his 'batting eye' and returned to the game in a great degree unqualified to match the skill of pitchers who have attained reached the high water mark of proficiency. As a natural sequence he failed utterly in his process as a batter, much to the disappointment of an exacting and none too indulgent public. The hero of a year ago was 'ridden' by the fans and at times sharply abused."

"Ruth plainly did not possess the mental strength and stability to brave this sudden reversal of public adoration. It served to warp his playing ability, and for days he has been nervous and irritable."

"In his nine years' connection with the American League his conduct on the field has been faultless, with a single exception. He did toss dirt onto the clothing of the umpire, but not into his face. An incident of that sort happens many times in a season, when a player slides to his base and is keenly disappointed with the decision. His suspension is terminated."

"We cannot condone his entry into the grand stand to combat an insulting spectator. The club owners of the American League are pleased to protect the play's record from such abuse, and in the main it is my belief they discharge their duty in that particular."

LEAVES FAMILY WASH  
TO SAVE DROWNING BOY

Freeport Woman Has Record  
of Four Other Rescues.

Mrs. Elizabeth Merkle, 31, of 275 South Main street, Freeport, saved Harry Green, 8 years old, from drowning in the Freeport River yesterday. Mrs. Merkle was hanging wash in the rear of her home when she heard screams. She ran to the river bank and saw that Green had fallen overboard from a rowboat.

Fully clothed, Mrs. Merkle plunged into the river, swam out to the boy and brought him safely ashore. At the point where he fell overboard the water is sixty feet deep. Mrs. Merkle has a record of saving two children and two men from drowning.

ACCUSED OF \$40,000  
THEFT LIKE ONE OF  
\$680,000 IN 1910

Wider, Who Swindled Rus-  
so-Chinese Bank, Again  
Got Cashier's Job.

FACES 5 INDICTMENTS

Served Less Than 5 Years of  
Previous 18 Year Sing  
Sing Sentence.

WARDEN RECEIVED \$7,000

Held Confidence of Silk Firm  
After Release Until Books  
Were Inspected.

Erwin Johann Wider, 42, forgotten by the world when he was sentenced in February, 1911, to serve eighteen years in Sing Sing for stealing \$680,000 from the New York agency of the Russo-Chinese Bank, was arrested last night by Detective John Cuniff of the District Attorney's office on a bench warrant issued after the Grand Jury had returned five indictments against him.

Wider was locked up in the Tombs for the night. He will be arraigned to-day on the indictments. Three of them charge forgery and the other two charge grand larceny. John F. O'Neill, Assistant District Attorney, who presented the evidence to the Grand Jury, said that Wider had admitted to defalcations amounting to more than \$40,000.

When Wider got out of Sing Sing after serving less than five years of his term he lived by whatever small jobs he could find, chiefly clerical work in the establishments of friends or in places where his record was not known. He tried to build up as quietly and unobtrusively as possible the reputation he had lost. A year ago he got a job with L. Erstein & Bro., Inc., silk merchants, of 345 Fourth avenue.

He came to them with excellent recommendations. They made him cashier—the same job he had with the Russo-Chinese Bank in 1910, except that he earned only \$23 a week in those days. Before many weeks his work was so satisfactory that the silk firm turned over to him virtually all the finances of the business.

Returns "To Face the Music."  
From that moment, according to J. Edwin Goldwasser, manager of the silk company, who made the complaint to the District Attorney's office, Wider began a series of false entries in the books and began to withdraw substantial sums. He went to Florida, Mr. Goldwasser, finding many things in the books that he did not understand, complained to the District Attorney. Wider, hearing that he was wanted, came back to New York and announced that he would fight the charges against him, and, as he said in 1910, "face the music."

Mr. Goldwasser, who lives at 885 West End avenue, would not discuss the case last night. It is known, however, that he was surprised and more surprised than ever to learn of what had happened between Wider and the Russo-Chinese Bank.

When Detective Cuniff got the bench warrants late yesterday he went to 3065 Decatur avenue, where Wider lives, and made a search of his books. He found a baby a few weeks old—that Wider said he stole in 1910. He said he wanted to make money in Wall Street so they could live in luxury, but that the market went down and he was caught. Wider's wife sent Detective Cuniff to the office of Earl De Remer, lawyer, at 60 Wall street. There, however, he was told to do nothing more than take the warrants along with him to the Tombs.

Assistant District Attorney O'Neill said he understood that the irregular entries in the books of L. Erstein & Brother had been going on for some time, but that Mr. Goldwasser and the other officials of the company never suspected anything until Wider went to Florida and returned.

"The indictments," said Mr. O'Neill, "were returned on evidence showing that amounts of a few hundred dollars each were made away with at various times through false entries. I understand, however, that the shortage will run up to more than \$40,000, possibly \$50,000."

"Three of the indictments charge forgery in the second degree, and two charge grand larceny in the second degree. The evidence showing that money was diverted through fraudulent entries appears to be convincing."

"You know, don't you," Mr. O'Neill

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Representatives Ask for  
Report of 2.75 Beer Bill

Special Dispatch to THE NEW YORK HERALD.

FIFTY members of the House joined in a request to the Ways and Means Committee to-day asking for a prompt report on the Hill local option bill allowing the sale of beer and cider containing not more than 2.75 per cent. alcohol.

The measure provides that each Congress district is to be a local option unit and that in the November elections the voters will decide whether they want beer and cider. The bill fixes a tax of 2 cents a gallon on beverages so sold, and the author, Representative Hill (Md.), estimates it would increase Treasury receipts from \$400,000 to \$500,000 a year.

MURRAY'S IS RAIDED  
IN WHITE LIGHT DRIVE

500 Dining as 11 Quarts of  
Champagne, 10 of Whisky  
and 14 of Gin Are Seized.

MANY ARRESTS ARE MADE

Detectives Comb District About  
Broadway and 42d Street  
for 'Speakeasies.'

A series of liquor raids on cabarets, supper clubs and restaurants in the White Light district got under way a half hour before last midnight, just as the after theater rush was at its height. Detectives from the staffs of Inspectors Bolan and Underhill, carrying search warrants, conducted the raids.

Five hundred persons were in Murray's, 228 West Forty-second street, when Detectives Lavender, Riney and Moran of Inspector Underhill's staff raided the place. Detective Lavender went to the restaurant Wednesday night with a young woman and bought, according to his statements before Justice Tierney in the Supreme Court the next day, a half pint of whisky for \$7. Justice Tierney issued a search warrant and also a John Doe warrant.

The detectives last night looked for the waiter who had served the half pint of whisky, but he was not there. They told James McGuire, the head waiter, who lives at 455 West Fifth street, that they were thirsty. McGuire, according to the detectives, called another waiter, William O'Brien, aged 38, of 111 West Sixth street.

Cocktails and Sandwiches, \$4.

O'Brien brought them a half pint of cocktails and some sandwiches, for which he charged them \$4, said the detectives, who arrested him and McGuire.

Two of the detectives asked Julius Brox, the elevator operator, to take them up stairs. He refused until the detectives reminded him that they could arrest him. Brox then took them to the third floor the detectives began searching the rooms. Brox followed them, an anxious look on his face. At room 12, when the detectives made a move as if to go in, Brox leaped in front of them, put his back to the door, stretched out his arms and said:

"Don't! You can't go in there! You simply can't!"

"Oh, yes we can," replied the detectives, as they pulled him away and put him under arrest.

Liquor Found in a Room.

Inside the room the detectives said they found eleven quarts of champagne, ten of whisky and fourteen of gin. With the help of three waiters they carried the liquor to an auto in the street, where a crowd had gathered to watch the raid. The liquor was taken to the West Thirtieth street station, along with McGuire, O'Brien and Brox, all of whom were locked up, charged with violating the Mullan-Gage law. Brox in addition was charged with interfering with an official.

In the first hour and an half after the raids started five places described by the police as "speakeasies" had been raided, along with a restaurant. The raids were continuing early this morning.

Joseph Simpson, an actor of 144 East Fourth street, and Ralph Ogel, aged 55, a veterinary surgeon of 538 West 136th street, were arrested at 258 West Forty-sixth street. A barrel of red wine, four bottles of whisky and sixteen small bottles were confiscated. Louis Nunno, chauffeur, and Peter Gurtel, were arrested at 262 West Forty-sixth street, and some red wine was seized.

James O'Brien, a bartender of 416 West 139th street, was arrested at 246 West Forty-sixth street. Richard Morris, a bartender of 238 West Fifth street, was taken. John Hodge, a restaurant owner of 455 West Forty-third street, was arrested at Broadway and Forty-eighth street, charged with having a bottle taken from the restaurant.

FATHER KILLS NEGRO;  
ATTACKED DAUGHTER

Rangers With Machine Guns  
Are Sent to Waco.

WARD FIGHTS AGAIN  
TO-DAY FOR LIBERTY  
AND IS LIKELY TO WIN

Westchester Prosecutor to  
Ask for Heavier Bail in  
Slaying Mystery.

MURDER PROOF WEAK

Prisoner Passes Second  
Night 'in Custody' After  
His Writ Fails.

BROKEN GLASS AT HOME

Red Backed Five of Spades  
Found on Lawn Is New  
Clew for Inquiry.

Walter S. Ward expects to regain his freedom to-day after spending two nights in the White Plains jail. An application for his release on bail will be made to Justice Seeger of the Supreme Court in Newburgh at 10 o'clock this morning.

It is unlikely that District Attorney Weeks of Westchester county will oppose it. He probably will content himself with asking that the bond be made considerably higher than the one of \$10,000 which Ward gave on Monday, when he surrendered and said he had killed in self-defense Clarence Peters, one of three men who had been blackmailing him.

Justice Seeger can, if he chooses, hold Ward in jail without bail to await the Coroner's inquest, but in the absence of such a request from the prosecuting officer a judge rarely does so.

The reason why District Attorney Weeks will not make such a request, unless something new turns up this morning, is that he has no evidence warranting him in treating Ward like a man charged with murder. He has no evidence disproving any part of Ward's story, which is that he went by appointment to meet the blackmailers and shot Peters after Peters shot at him on the State road near the Kensico Reservoir.

Habeas Corpus Writ Fails.

Ward's lawyers got a writ of habeas corpus yesterday morning and tried to liberate their client. But after a hearing in Supreme Court at White Plains Justice Frank L. Young dismissed the writ.

The hearing called Ward into court with his three attorneys. Spectators nudged forward in the hope that at last the story of black-mail underlying the story of the killing of Peters was to be told. But not a syllable of it was permitted to escape nor was any attempt made by the District Attorney to get it into the record. The argument was all on the law and the status of Ward as a defendant.

Stayed in Custody.

Dismissal of the writ left Ward just where he had been since Thursday afternoon, when his \$10,000 bond was canceled and he was rearrested on an order from Justice Seeger giving him into the custody of George J. Wernick, Sheriff of Westchester county. That is, he remained in custody without bail, but with the privilege of making a new application for release on bail, which privilege he will exercise to-day.

"Custody of the Sheriff" means, in this case, that Ward is spending a good part of his time in the Sheriff's office in the county court house at White Plains. He spent all of yesterday there except the hour, or so when he was in court, saw his lawyers there and had his meals brought in.

Ward was still in the Sheriff's office late last evening. A representative of the law firm of Rabeold & Scribner, 61 Broadway, dropped in to hand him a note, the reading of which seemed to raise the prisoner's spirits.

Playing Card Is New Clew.

An exhibit, the importance of which cannot be ascertained until to-day, was dug up by investigators at New Rochelle. It consists of one playing card—a five of spades—and twenty-eight pieces of glass which appear to have been part of the windshield of a motor car. They were found on a narrow strip of lawn about ten feet from the rear entrance of Ward's home, at 63 Decatur road.